

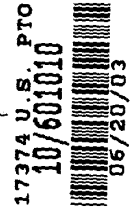


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Title: FUEL TANK INSTALLATION

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1. Specification including:
 - 11 pages
 - 7 claims
 - 1 page of drawings
2. Declaration and Power of Attorney to follow
3. Assignment and Recordation Form Cover Sheet to follow
4. Certified copy of German application No. 102 27 471.1 to follow
5. Information Disclosure Statement
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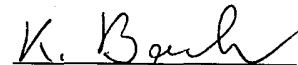
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